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[PRICE \$2 1/2 PER MONTH]

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

November 9. GLENAGLAER, British steamer, 1,837, Park, London 23rd September, and Singapore 3rd November, General—JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.

November 9. FORMOSA, British steamer, 687, T Hall, Tamsui 6th November, Amoy 7th, and Swatow 8th, General—DOUGLAS LAIR & CO.

November 9. CHI-YUEN, Chinese steamer, 1,347, Nell, Whampoa 16th November, General—C. M. S. N. CO.

November 9. ANTON, German steamer, 386, E Asterope, Pahioi and Hollow 6th November, General—WEILER & CO.

November 9. TRIUMPH, German steamer, 674, P. Moon, Hollow 8th November, General—WEILER & CO.

November 9. CHINA, German steamer, 1,093, P. Haye, Bangkok 1st November, General—YUEN FEE HONG.

November 9. FERO, German steamer, 734, T. N. Hansen, Newchwang 2nd November, Beauf.—ED. SCHELLHAS & CO.

November 9. ZAFIRO, British str., 675, Tayler, Manila 6th November, General—RUSSELL & CO.

November 10. CLARA, German steamer, 667, Christensen, Whampoa 10th November, General—SCHMIDT & CO.

November 10. FOOK-SANG, British steamer, 901, Hogg, Whampoa 10th November, General—JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.

November 10. THALES, British steamer, 820, W. T. Hunter, Taiwan 6th November, ALROY 7th, and SWAOH 8th, General—DOUGLAS LAIR & CO.

November 9. JACOB CHRISTENSEN, Norwegian str., 1,107, G. Bjørk, Kutching 1st Nov., Coal—MITCHELL BUSSAN KAISIA.

November 10. MOSKWA, Russian steamer, 2,244, O. Radloff, Nagasaki 5th November, General—MELCHERS & CO.

November 10. BREMNERA, Am. ship, 1,343, J. D. Paine, New York 20th June, Kerosene Oil—RUSSELL & CO.

November 10. SOOCHOW, British steamer, 327, T. Rowin, Pakhoi 6th November, and Hollow 7th, General—CHINESE.

November 10. KUNG-FAI, Chinese steamer, 602, F. A. Brinsford, Newchwang 4th November, General—C. M. S. N. CO.

CLEARANCES.
AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE
10TH NOVEMBER.

None.

DEPARTURES.

November 9. YOUNG SIAN, Siamese bark for Bangkok.

November 9. HAITAN, British str., for Swatow.

November 9. EMPEROR, British bark, for Singapore.

November 9. TELEMECHUS, British str., for Singapore.

November 10. DOBETTA, Siamese brig, for Bangkok.

November 10. CHI-YUEN, Chinese steamer, for Shanghai.

November 10. FREJR, Danish str., for Pakhoi.

November 10. MELUSINE, German bk., for San Francisco.

November 10. HONOLULU, British ship, for New York.

November 10. FERO, German str., for Whampoa.

November 10. ANAHUAC, Am. ship, for Manila.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

For China, str., from Hongkong—11 Chinese. For Zafiro, str., from Manila—Messrs. Duncan, Dunlop, Plus and Schmitz 3 Europeans, and 118 Chinese, deck.

For Fero, str., from Newchwang—1—Chinese. For Formosa, str., from Tamsui &c—Messrs. Bruce and Fly, Mrs. Jeannine and Serdet, Captain William, and 180 Chinese.

For Gleneagles, str., from London, &c—Mrs. Morris, 2 children, Mrs. Ridgway and Serdet, Captain William, and 180 Chinese.

For Taku Tug and Lighter Company, str., from Tamsui, 2 children, Miss Tullock, Capt. and Mrs. Owsten, from London, from Singapore—Messrs. Lisle, Peterson, and Wickes, and 367 Chinese.

For Triumph, str., from Holloway—73 Chinese.

For Moskwa, str., from Nagasaki—32 Europeans, saloon, and 639 deck.

For Thales, str., from Taiwan, &c—Messrs. Vellies and Hastings, from Taiwan, and 74 Chinese.

For Seacock str., from Pakhoi, &c—67 Chinese.

REPORTS.

The Russian steamer Moskwa, from Nagasaki 5th November, reports fair motion and fine weather throughout.

The British steamer Zafiro, from Manila 7th November, reports had strong monsoon and cloudy weather throughout.

The German steamer China, from Bangkok 1st November, reports had strong monsoon and N.E. winds, deck.

The British steamer Glenayre, from London 23rd November, and Singapore 3rd November, reports from Singapore the sea part had fine weather and sea confus'd, the land part strong monsoon and squalls with high seas.

The British steamer Formosa, from Tamsui 6th November, to Amoy 7th, and Swatow 8th, ports from Tamsui to Amoy had strong N.E. winds with high seas, deck. From Amoy to Swatow had fresh breeze and fine, clear weather. From Swatow to Breaker Point had E.S.E. breeze and cloudy weather. From Breaker Point to Hongkong fresh N.E. breeze and fine, clear weather. In Amoy str. Pakhoi and Whampoa. In Swatow str. Pakhoi Chuan Kao, Chin-tung, and Pakhoi.

The Chinese steamer Kung-pai, from Newchow 6th November, reports from Newchow to N.E. Promontory, in lat. 37° 24' and long 122° 44', had light S.W. and S.E. winds, smooth sea, and cloudy weather. From N.E. Promontory to Siddle Islands had light S.W. and W. winds. From Siddle Islands Turnabout, had light northerly winds. From Turnabout to Hongkong had moderate N. and N.E. winds; experienced a strong northerly current throughout the latter part.

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J. AND R. TENNENT'S ALE and DAVID COBB & SONS' Merchant Navy Canvas, Long Flex Crown ARNHOLD KARBERG & CO.

Hongkong, 1st May, 1887.

INTIMATIONS.

RENEWAL OF POLICIES

IN THE STANDARD LIFE OFFICE—30 days are allowed for the payment of the renewal premium in all cases, and 18 months under Policies of 5 years' standing, without medical certificates, on payment of a moderate fine; and if death occurs within these 18 months, it is the Company's practice to pay the amount assured, under deduction of the unpaid premiums and fines. After the 18 months the Policy is forfeited, but the surrender value remains available for 5 years, as explained in the Company's Prospectus. Policies of less than 5 years' standing may also be renewed after the expiry of 5 years on liberal conditions.

THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED, Agents—STANDARD LIFE OFFICE.

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Ribol's "HOW TO LEARN RUSSIAN" BY KAY.

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transparency projecting into the street with "V. R." on each face, and the building had flags running along its eaves. A clock tower was illuminated with lanterns with the Union Jack painted on them.

Turning back along Queen's-road to the westward, passing the houses already described, we arrive at the Clock Tower, the central point and most striking feature of the illuminations, being conspicuous at once for the beauty and boldness of the design on which it was treated. The sides of all four sides were covered with small glass lamps, with a little white scroll at the top. Craving the neck upwards for a clear view gave little idea of the splendid effect when the Tower was seen from a little distance, either from the water or from the higher levels. One is tempted to regret that such a thing of beauty should have to do so soon into its natural state, and to wonder if its position as the epitome of "a joy for ever" will be long maintained.

The Post Office had a gas 4-foot crown with "V. R." in monogram, two Masonic stars, and the building outlined above the first cornices with jets. Both on the front and the Pudding-street side there were a large number of cylindrical lamps of various colours closely packed along the entire circumference of the building. The Supreme Court also had gas illuminations—the Scale of Justice set in the window, a red star above, and a little white scroll at the top.

In Stanley-street Messrs. Roasio and Co. had gas illumination showing "V. R." and the Royal Coat of Arms. Mr. Daniel Molloy & Co.'s building was also brightly illuminated with lanterns. In D'Aguilar-street Messrs. Gilman and Co. had transparency over their door with the name of the firm and a large mass of lanterns. Messrs. Grossman and Co.'s house was also lit up with lanterns, and amongst the occupants of Club Chambers on the opposite side of the street lanterns were hung out by Messrs. Justice, Lambie, and Co., Mr. Watson, the Petroleum Exchange, and the Panama Mining Co. Messrs. Grindlays and Co. at the corner of Wallingford-street had red and white lanterns on the top floor. Messrs. D. O. Ollis and Co. had lanterns arranged in the arches of the verandah and in lines below, and Mrs. Heymann dressed out the red designs grouped with two French flags in the centre, and lanterns hung on the verandah. A large proportion of the Chinese in this street were also illuminated, amongst them Kwong Shing contractor, Hing Shing, bootmaker, Chan Hang, printer, Yeo Hing, contractor, Ling Ating, contractor, Wan Li, picture frame maker, Hung Qua, portrait painter, who showed a specimen of his skill in a portrait of the Queen. The Poo Chin, contractor, San Cheong, and Ching Fung, contractor, were also illuminated.

In Lower Nathan Road the Albany were most of them illuminated and "Karinshien," the residence of Mr. J. M. Armstrong, and the Blue Bungalow were gallantly lighted by coloured lanterns.

The remainder of the building was covered with lanterns. Messrs. H. N. Body and Co.'s Illumination at the entrance. Along the arches of the verandah a bold lettering on the scroll "God bless our Empire" was set in red oil lamps, and above were shields, "England's Queen" and "India's Empress" on the other. There was also a trophy of flags, and a number of lanterns. On the ground floor there were lanterns with the various emblems painted on them. Messrs. H. N. Body and Co.'s Illumination at the entrance. The Victoria Exchange joined with Messrs. McEwan, Frobisher, and Co. had filled in the upper portion with an elaborate design of which the centre part was a portrait of Her Majesty. The verandah railing was also decorated with oil lamps on white ground. There was also a small portrait of the Queen and stars. On the floor above was a crown with the letters "V. R.", and lanterns hung between the pillars of the verandah. Over the entrance on the ground floor was a star of coloured oil lamps, and the floor was covered with foliage. Messrs. Carter & Co.'s store, under Messrs. Body & Co.'s office, had lanterns on the necks of them. Yee Chun, Loeng Sing, Cheong Wo, and Ahoy, occupying adjoining shops, all contributed to the general display. Messrs. Fournier and Co.'s establishment part of which is occupied on the upper floors by the China Traders Insurance Company and the North China Insurance Company, had long rows of lanterns with the Union Jack, stars and stripes, running along the top cornice and the verandahs up the sides. Messrs. Fournier and Co. had the arches of their verandah hung with lanterns. Sun Sing had clusters of lanterns hanging in the arches, and the Medical Hall had strings of lanterns across the arches. The Pacific Mail Company's office was tastefully decorated with rows of lamps, with the American flag and the Union Jack, stars and stripes, and small flags of the two nations erected in the windows. Coming over the street and proceeding eastward, passing the Victoria Hotel, already described, we come to Messrs. Turner and Co.'s house, where there was a pretty arrangement of Chinese lanterns. The China Fire Insurance Company had banners hanging from each window, and God bless our Queen" worked in small calligraphy on the window. Achon's furniture store had small coloured lanterns along the balustrading of the verandah, and sets of Japanese lanterns. Messrs. Fransje, Herman, & Co. had large clusters of coloured lamps hanging in each of the verandah arches, five on each floor, with stars of small coloured oil lamps on the pillars of the upper floor with spear heads of the same description of lamps on the end pillars. The room was very beautiful display. Rose and Co. had a pair of lanterns in front and Messrs. Watt, and Davis, a double row. Messrs. Lane, Crawford and Co.'s shop was tastefully decorated with a "V. R." worked in flowers on the top of the porch, lanterns hanging in the porches underneath, and clusters of lamps on the pediments.

Westward of Potters-court one of the most striking scenes was that of the Stag Hotel, which had a gilt fleur-de-lis, painting of Her Majesty, with lamps hanging round the verandahs of all four stories, and a good display of lanterns on the sides of the house. The Man On Iron Co. also had an effective display, a large number of lanterns being used, many of them of unusual patterns. The Ko Sing Theatre had a "V. R." in glass transparent, and four rows of "V. R." in the middle with the "V. R." on each side and "V. R." on the other. Other houses illuminated were The Land We Live in, the Royal Standard, Rock and Thistle, the London Hotel, W. Peterson's boarding house, the German Tavern, and the Grand Hotel. The Five Bridges Station had on the front of the tower a design in small oil lamps, and the year "1887" in the middle with the "V. R." and "R. on the right and left respectively. The Queen's-side of the hotel had coloured lanterns. On Chinese establishment, the Royal China, the Royal China, and the Royal China, were thrown open to the public on Wednesday morning at nine o'clock, and were promptly surrounded by little knots of Chinese, who approached with great light at the novel sight. Numbers of persons quaffed the crystal from the iron cups, for sightseeing is thirsty work and procession following still more so. The fountains will certainly not lack patronage.

THE JUBILEE DRINKING FOUNTAINS.

The six Victorian Drinking Fountains erected at the expense of a philanthropic and liberal Parliamentarian, will be given by him to the city as a memorial of His Royal Highness. They were thrown open to the public on Wednesday morning at nine o'clock, and were promptly surrounded by little knots of Chinese, who approached with great light at the novel sight. Numbers of persons quaffed the crystal from the iron cups, for sightseeing is thirsty work and procession following still more so. The fountains will certainly not lack patronage.

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Mr. T. JACKSON, one of the Committee for the erection of the statue, then stepped forward and read the following address:

"Sir Arthur Kennedy, the residence of Mr. H. N. Body, was given by him to the city,

and Mr. W. H. Forbes were decorated with lanterns, the garden of "Rose Hill" being also illuminated. The approach to the Italian Concert was lighted up by coloured lanterns, and the bandstand arranged to fit its arched proportions; this was connected with the bandstand on the left of a star in the east "V. R." on the arch being outlined by gas lamps.

The Lustino Club displayed a gasace with "V. R." and the Parsee Club a device in little glass lamps of "V. R." and a crown. Several houses in Old Bailey Street and Elgin Terrace, the Connaught Road, and in the Gas, representing a Crown with the inscription beneath "Vivat Regina" and four Chinese characters, three feet in height on either side of the entrance gate added much to the effect. This consisted of a star in the east "V. R." on the arch being outlined by gas lamps.

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